

In the Specification

Please add the following new paragraph [00016] after the original paragraph [00015]. Accordingly, please renumber the remaining paragraphs of the specification which follow the new paragraph [00016]. Please amend the original paragraphs [00018] to [00020] as detailed herein.

[00016] Fig. 4 is an exploded perspective view illustrating a disc brake system with the sleeve of the invention.

[00018] [00019] The integrated sleeve 2 is to be placed on the wheel axle 10. The inner periphery of the sleeve 2 is received on the wheel axle 10 by way of a bearing means 12(not shown).

[00019] [00020] The sleeve 2 is to support one or more brake discs 14(not shown) by way of means for co-operation with corresponding means of the brake disc(s). In the shown embodiment the means for co-operation with the brake disc(s) is splines. The splines have the form of raised portions 4 and grooves 5 arranged on the outer periphery of the sleeve 2. The actual cross-sectional form of the splines may vary between different embodiments. The splines of the sleeve 2 are to co-operate with corresponding parts of the brake disc(s). The brake disc(s) is received rotatably fixed to the sleeve 2 but moveable in an axial direction for the brake operation in association with a fixed caliper 16.

[00020] [00021] The outer periphery of the raised portions 4 and grooves 5, forming the splines of the sleeve 2, is straight and parallel with the main extent of the wheel axle 10. Expressed differently the sleeve 2 has a generally tubular form. The outer

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form of the sleeve 2 permits a brake disc to be slid off or onto the sleeve 2 in any axial direction.